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Applicant: Chapple et al.
Serial No.: 10/025,237
Filed: December 19, 2001
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Group: 1751
Examiner: P. Kumar
Edgewater, New Jersey 07020
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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 5, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 3- 5, 11 and 12 as follows: